LISTING OF CLAIMS

- 22. (Previously presented) Nucleic acid coding for human semaphorin 6A-1 comprising:
 - (a) the nucleotide sequence shown in SEQ ID NO:1,
- (b) a sequence corresponding to the nucleotide sequence shown in SEQ ID NO: 1 within the degeneration of the genetic code, or
- (c) a sequence which hybridizes with the sequences of (a) or/and (b) under stringent conditions with the proviso that it contains a nucleic acid coding for a binding domain of human semaphorin 6A-1 comprising:
 - (d) the nucleotide sequence shown in SEQ ID NO:3,
 - (e) a sequence corresponding to the nucleotide sequence shown in SEQ ID NO:3 within the degeneration of the genetic code, or
 - (f) a sequence which hybridizes with the sequences of (d) or/and (e) under stringent conditions.
- 23. (Previously presented) A nucleic acid encoding for human semaphorin 6A-1 as recited in Claim 22, wherein the nucleic acid sequence has a sequence homology to the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:1 or SEQ ID NO:3 of greater than about 80%.
- 24. (Previously presented) A nucleic acid comprising a sequence which hybridizes under stringent conditions to the nucleic acid sequence of Claim 23.
- 25. (Previously presented) A nucleic acid comprising a nucleic acid which encodes a protein having a semaphorin domain and hybridizes under stringent conditions to sequence SEQ ID NO:1 or SEQ ID NO:3 of Claim 22.
- 26. (Previously presented) A protein comprising a protein encoded by SEQ ID NO:1.

- 27. (Previously presented) The protein of Claim 26, further comprising a substitution thereto, a deletion thereof or an addition thereto of single amino acids or short amino acid sections.
- 28. (Previously presented) The protein of Claim 27, wherein the protein is capable of binding to a member of the Ena/VASP family of proteins.
- 29. (Previously presented) A protein comprising a protein encoded by SEQ ID NO:3.
- 30. (Previously presented) The protein of Claim 29, further comprising a substitution thereto, a deletion thereof or an addition thereto of single amino acids or short amino acid sections.
- 31. (Previously presented) The protein of Claim 30, wherein the protein is capable of binding to a member of the Ena/VASP family of proteins.
- 32. (Previously presented) A protein comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:2.
- 33. (Previously presented) A protein comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:4.
- 34. (Previously presented) A protein comprising a protein encoded by the nucleic acid sequences of Claim 22.
- 35. (Previously presented) An antibody that binds to the protein of Claim 32.
- 36. (Previously presented) An antibody that binds to the protein of Claim 33.

- 37. (Previously presented) An antibody that binds to the protein of Claim 34.
- 38. (Previously presented) A composition comprising the protein of Claim 32 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 39. (Previously presented) A composition comprising the protein of Claim 33 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 40. (Previously presented) A composition comprising the protein of Claim 34 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 41. (Previously presented) A composition comprising the nucleic acid of Claim 22 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 42. (Previously presented) A composition comprising the nucleic acid of Claim 23 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 43. (Previously presented) A composition comprising the nucleic acid of Claim 24 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 44. (Previously presented) A recombinant vector comprising at least one copy of a nucleic acid sequence according to Claim 22.
- 45. (Previously presented) A recombinant vector comprising at least one copy of a nucleic acid sequence according to Claim 23.
- 46. (Previously presented) A recombinant vector according to Claim 44 wherein the vector is a eukaryotic vector.

- 47. (Previously presented) A recombinant vector according to Claim 45, wherein the vector is a eukaryotic vector.
- 48. (Previously presented) A cell transformed with the recombinant vector of Claim 44.
- 49. (Previously presented) A cell transformed with the recombinant vector of Claim 45.
- 50. (Previously presented) A method comprising administration of the protein of Claim 26 to an animal or a human in an amount effective to modulate differentiation, apoptosis, cytoskeletal stabilization, plasticity or neurite growth.
- 51. (Previously presented) A method comprising administration of the protein of Claim 29 to an animal or a human in an amount effective to modulate differentiation, apoptosis, cytoskeletal stabilization, plasticity or neurite growth.
- 52. (Previously presented) A method comprising administration of the protein of Claim 34 to an animal or a human in an amount effective to modulate differentiation, apoptosis, cytoskeletal stabilization, plasticity or neurite growth.
- 53. (Previously presented) A method comprising administration of the nucleic acid of Claim 22 to an animal or a human in an amount effective to modulate differentiation, apoptosis, cytoskeletal stabilization, plasticity or neurite growth.
- 54. (Previously presented) A method comprising administration of the nucleic acid of Claim 23 to an animal or a human in an amount effective to modulate differentiation, apoptosis, cytoskeletal stabilization, plasticity or neurite growth.

- 55. (Previously presented) A method comprising administration of the nucleic acid of Claim 24 to an animal or a human in an amount effective to modulate differentiation, apoptosis, cytoskeletal stabilization, plasticity or neurite growth.
- 56. (Previously presented) A method comprising administration of the nucleic acid of Claim 25 to an animal or a human in an amount effective to modulate differentiation, apoptosis, cytoskeletal stabilization, plasticity or neurite growth.